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Mr. Dan Wall
U. S. Environmental Protection Agency
Region VII
726 Minnesota Avenue
Kansas City, Kansas 66101

December 8, 2000

Dear Mr. Wall:

**Monthly Progress Report – November 2000
West Lake (Bridgeton) Landfill, Operable Unit 2 RI/FS**

On behalf of Laidlaw Waste Systems, Inc. (Laidlaw), Herst & Associates, Inc. has prepared the following progress report in accordance with Section XIII, Paragraph 39 of the Administrative Order on Consent (Consent Order), EPA Docket No. VII-94-F-0025. The progress report describes activities conducted in November 2000.

I. ACTIONS TAKEN TO COMPLY WITH THE CONSENT ORDER

A monthly progress report was submitted to EPA.

II. VALIDATED RESULTS RECEIVED

No validated data were received in November.

III. WORK PLANNED DURING DECEMBER AND JANUARY 2000

Preparation of the FS Report will continue in December.

IV. MATERIAL PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED OR ANTICIPATED MATERIAL DELAYS

No material problems or delays were encountered in November and none are anticipated for December or January.

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If you have any questions or comments, please contact Mr. Doug Borro, the Respondent's designated Project Coordinator, or the undersigned.

Sincerely,

HERST & ASSOCIATES, INC.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ward Herst". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Ward" and last name "Herst" clearly distinguishable.

Ward E. Herst, CPHG, CEM
Managing Director

cc: Michael Hockley, Esq. - Spencer Fane Britt & Browne
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